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2. (Amended) An antisense oligonucleotide that hybridizes to a target 3' region of a mammalian thymidylate synthase nucleic acid sequence and that selectively enhances thymidylate synthase production in mammalian cells.

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9. (Amended) A method for the treatment of cancer or for providing an antiproliferative effect on cells comprising administering to a warm-blooded animal an effective amount of the combination product claimed in claim 5.

Kindly add the following new claims.

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11. (New) A method for the treatment of cancer or for providing an antiproliferative effect on cells comprising administering to a warm-blooded mammal an effective amount of an antisense oligonucleotide as claimed in claim 1.

12. (New) A method for the treatment of cancer or for providing an antiproliferative effect on cells comprising administering to a warm-blooded mammal an effective amount of an antisense oligonucleotide as claimed in claim 2.
